

ಶ್ರೀ ಆರ್. ಚನ್ನಿಗರಾಮಯ್ಯ.—ತಾವು ಹೇಳಿರುವುದು ಮೇಜರ್ ಕಮ್ಯೂನಿಟೀಸ್ (major communities) ವಿಚಾರ. ನಮ್ಮ ಲಿಸ್ಟ್ ಸರಿಯಾಗಿದೆ.

Some of these smaller communities were not mentioned probably in the list the Hon'ble Member has seen. But all these come under the category of Scheduled Castes.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜೆ. ಎಲ್. ಕಾಡಾಡಿ.—ನಿಜವಾದ ಷೆಡ್ಯೂಲ್ಡ್ ಕ್ಯಾಸ್ತುಗಳು ಯಾವುವೆಂಬುದನ್ನು ನಿರ್ಧರಿಸಲು ಯಾವಾಗ ಕ್ರಮ ಕೈಕೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗುವುದು ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಆರ್. ಚನ್ನಿಗರಾಮಯ್ಯ.—ಇನ್ನು ಮುಂದೆ ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸಬೇಕಾಗುತ್ತದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಜೆ. ಎಲ್. ಕಾಡಾಡಿ.—ಹಿಂದಿನ ಮುಂಬಯಿ ರಾಜ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಷೆಡ್ಯೂಲ್ಡ್ ಕ್ಯಾಸ್ತಿನವರೆಂದು ಯಾರನ್ನು ಗಣನೆಗೆ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡಿದೆಯೋ ಅವರನ್ನು ಇಲ್ಲಿನ ಹೊಸರಾಜ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಗಣನೆಗೆ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗುವುದು ?

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMIAH.—Sir, as a matter of fact, in all other States, "Scheduled Castes" means only untouchables. It is only peculiarly in the Mysore State, probably because of economic backwardness, all these communities have been brought into this list. Government will look into the list.

Sri K. S. VASAN.—Are the Government aware that there are a number of Adi—Andhras in the Mysore State ?

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMIAH.—Those who speak Telugu may be called Adi—Andhras.

SECRETARY—Q. No. 75—Sri T. C. Shantappa.

SPEAKER.—The Minister is not present.

Mr. SECRETARY.—Q. No. 118.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The Minister is not present.

Co-operative Societies audited in each District of the old Mysore State.

Q.—121. Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA. (Hospet).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) the number of Co-operative Societies audited in each of the ten districts of the old Mysore State during 1953-54, 1954-55, 1955-56 and thus far in 1956-57 ;

(b) the number of Societies in which heavy cash balances have been retained in the same area during the same period ;

(c) the steps taken to reduce such cash balances, and as a result in how many societies such balances have been reduced ?

A.— Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK (Minister for Co-operation).—

(a) The number of societies audited during the years 1953-54, 1954-55 and 1956.

Sl. No.	Name of District	No. of Societies audited during the years		
		1953-54	1954-55	1955-56
1	Bangalore City	161	149	76
2	Bangalore Division	413	425	254
3	Mandya Division	237	248	156
4	Mysore Division	418	424	183
5	Hassan Division	327	336	125
6	Chickmagalur Division	207	211	141
7	Shimoga Division	364	396	249
8	Chitaldrug Division	391	436	247
9	Tumkur Division	422	443	255
10	Kolar Division	401	406	244
11	Bellary Division	...	361	119
		3,341	3,835	2,049*

*Up to the end of October 1956.

The audit of accounts of Societies for 1956-57 will be taken up after 1st July 1957.

- (b) The number of societies in which heavy cash balances have been retained during 1953-54, 1954-55 and 1955-56.

Sl. No	Name of District	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56
		No. of cases	No. of cases	No. of cases
1	Bangalore City ...	4	23	2
2	Bangalore Division ...	2	17	9
3	Mandya Division ...	1	14	6
4	Mysore Division ...	1	31	18
5	Hassan Division ...		16	7
6	Chikmagalur Division ...	1	12	6
7	Shimoga Division ...	2	34	2
8	Chitaldurg Division ...	2	43	11
9	Tumkur Division ...	4	31	5
10	Kolar Division ...	2	35	9
		19	256	70

(c) Prompt action has been taken by issuing notice to the office bearers directing them to remit the cash balances to the treasury and whenever necessary by taking coercive steps to secure cash books and cash balances, etc. Such balances have been reduced in 185 Societies.

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Sir, is it not the usual practice that cash balances or whatever irregularities that are noticed in Co-operative Societies immediately after the audit, these irregularities are set right and cash balances are immediately collected and sent to the Apex Bank or the District Bank?

Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK.—That is true, Sir.

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Sir, when this is so, why is it that the cash balances have been reduced in only 185 societies when there are as many as 350 Societies?

Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK.—That was a lach on the part of the previous administration. They should have taken immediate action. They should have taken action to get them audited. They should have taken action to recover the cash balances. Unfortunately that has not been done. Now internal audit is being introduced and irregularities are being set right.

Dr. R. NAGAN GOWDA.—Sir, what machinery have they now to rectify the irregularities that are now found in the Co-operative Societies?

Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK.—The usual machinery, that is, the Co-operative Inspectors, Assistant Registrars, Auditors and so on. They set right all these things.

Sri V. T. MAGADI.—Is every Society audited every year?

Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK.—Every year and if necessary internal audit is conducted continuously.

Steps Taken to co-ordinate and bring into uniformity the administrative set-up of Co-operative Department.

Q.—135. Sri A. S. PATIL (Navalgund Nargund).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the steps that are being taken by them to co-ordinate and bring into uniformity the administrative set-up of the Co-operative Department in different parts of the State;

(b) whether they have taken steps for linking and affiliating the existing District Central Co-operative Banks with the Mysore State Co-operative Bank, Ltd.;

(c) whether they have taken steps for linking and affiliating the various Primary Land Mortgage Banks with the Apex, Land Mortgage Bank of the State;

(d) whether it is a fact that all primary Land Mortgage Banks in Dharwar District are not provided with at least a single Land Valuation Officer and the business of these banks has been much hampered due to lack of the Land Valuation Officer?

A.—Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK (Minister for Co-operation).—

(a) The administrative set-up that existed in the integrated areas is being continued for the present. The staff allotted have joined duty at the places to which they are appointed. The Registrar of Co-operative Societies has toured five districts of Old Mysore State, Coorg and areas of Hyderabad and Mangalore. He will tour the remaining areas for examining the position and assessing the requirements. Necessary steps are being taken to co-ordinate and bring about uniformity in the administrative set-up of the